

RESOLUTION

URGING THE CITY ADMINISTRATION TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF BEAT OFFICERS SERVING POLICE DISTRICT 8.

WHEREAS, increased police resources are needed in Police District 8 (District 8), which extends from Ewa Beach to Makaha, to curtail the growing crime problems of the district; and

WHEREAS, according to the 2013 Honolulu Police Department (HPD) Annual Statistical Report, District 8 had the third highest number of index crime offenses, with a total of 4,712 criminal offenses reported; and

WHEREAS, the 2014 HPD Annual Report stated that District 8 is the third most populous county police district, with approximately 156,100 residents; and

WHEREAS, until a new Waianae Police District is created and fully staffed with additional beat officers, District 8 will continue to be responsible for the entirety of the Waianae and Ewa areas; and

WHEREAS with the current population and projected population growth in the Ewa Beach and Kapolei areas, additional beat officers are necessary to best ensure the safety of the community; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City and County of Honolulu that it urges the Honolulu Police Department to add more beat officers to better cover District 8; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the HPD is requested to provide information to the Council 90 days after the adoption of this resolution on the status of HPD's efforts to increase the number of beat officers in District 8; and



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BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that copies of this Resolution be transmitted to the Managing Director and the Honolulu Chief of Police.

INTRODUCED BY: Rymberly Par
Councilmembers

CITY COUNCIL CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU HONOLULU, HAWAII CERTIFICATE

RESOLUTION 15-197

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Introduced: 07/06/15

By: KYMBERLY PINE

Committee:

PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY

AND WELFARE

Title:

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Voting Legend: * = Aye w/Reservations

07/21/15 PUBLIC HEALTH, CR-277 - RESOLUTION REPORTED OUT OF COMMITTEE FOR ADOPTION.

SAFETY AND

WELFARE

COUNCIL 08/05/15 CR-277 AND RESOLUTION 15-197 WERE ADOPTED.

9 AYES: ANDERSON, ELEFANTE, FUKUNAGA, KOBAYASHI, MANAHAN, MARTIN,

MENOR, OZAWA, PINE.

I hereby certify that the above is a true record of action by the Council of the City nolulu on this RESOLUTION. County of

CITY CLERK GLEN!

ERNEST Y. MARTIN, CHAIR AND PRESIDING OFFICER